



Mr. Ivier S. McSwine

November 27, 1967 - May 17, 2025

Ivier Sylvester McSwine, age 57, passed away on May 17, 2025. He was born on November 27, 1967, in Chicago, Illinois, to the late Lillian Bailey and Peter McSwine. Ivier was the youngest of 11 children.

He graduated from Paul Robeson High School in 1985. In 1990, he earned a Bachelor of Science in Religious Studies from the University of Detroit Mercy.

Ivier strongly believed in the power of education and lifelong learning. He often encouraged those around him to pursue knowledge and personal growth, always stressing that education was a tool for empowerment, opportunity, and service to others.

In 1987, while living in Michigan, Ivier married Talleah Crowder. Together, they had two daughters: Semisha and Tannasia McSwine.

Following his academic journey, Ivier served honorably in the United States Army, including a notable deployment to South Korea. While serving, he also played in the Army's basketball league, showcasing his athleticism and team spirit. After his honorable discharge, he returned to Chicago in 1993 and joined the Illinois National Guard.

In 1994, Ivier married Latanya Donald. Their blended family included Charise

and Frederick Donald, who lovingly took the McSwine name. Together, Ivier and Latanya had two daughters: Iviera and Bobbi McSwine.

In 2012, Ivier met Brenda McCoy and began working with the Salvation Army. They married and later relocated to Kansas City, Kansas, where they both served faithfully in ministry for several years.

Ivier is lovingly remembered by his children: Semisha McSwine (Shellie Washington) Charise McSwine Tannasia Fielder (Matthew Fielder) Frederick McSwine Iviera McSwine (Stanley Peavy III) Bobbi McSwine (Tyran Price)

He is survived by his siblings: Pearle, Dorothy Rhodes, Peter, and Mattie Brown. He was preceded in death by his parents, Lillian and Peter McSwine, and siblings Cecilia McSwine, Olevie Simpson ("Noonie"), and Xavier McSwine.

Funeral services and visitation Tuesday, May 27, 2025, from 9:00am - 10:00 AM at Lawrence A. Jones & Sons Funeral Chapel. Private Disposition. Services conducted by Lawrence A. Jones & Sons Funeral Chapel. Condolences may be shared on our website.

Previous Events

Visitation Only

MAY 27. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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